



# ENTRY TO BOURKE SWIMMING POOL COMPLEX

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Adopted by: MANEX

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Responsible Officer: Manager Environmental Services  
Approval only required by MANEX

Verified by  
General Manager: Ross Earl

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## 1. Intent

To establish guidelines for entry by users of the Bourke Swimming Pool Complex

## 2. Framework

This policy applies to all users of the Bourke Swimming Pool Complex

## 3. Provisions

- Children under five (5) years will not be permitted entry without an appropriate parent/guardian who is prepared to swim.
- Children under ten (10) years will not be permitted entry without an appropriate parent/guardian.
- Groups/families will not be permitted entry where the number of Parent/Guardian's supervising a group of children under ten (10) years exceeds the ratio of 1:4.
- A parent/guardian is regarded as a responsible individual who is sixteen (16) years and over.
- All booking procedures should include the advice and supplementary information of Children Supervision policy
- All large, informal groups of children arriving at an aquatic facility may be required to participate in a brief to the entry policies and may be refused entry.

## 4. Applicable Legislation/References

Royal Lifesaving Guidelines for Safe Pool Operations

Lifeguarding, 5<sup>th</sup> Edition – Royal Life Saving Society Australia

A/NZS ISO 31000:2009 Risk Management – Principles and Guidelines

Practice Note 15 Water Safety. NSW Office for Local Government

Work Health and Safety Act 2011

## 5. Related Policies and Procedures

Bourke Swimming Pool Aquatic Supervision Policy

## 6. Review

This Policy will be reviewed every 3 years or as required in the event of legislative changes. Any amendment to the Policy must be by way of a Council Resolution or the approval of the General Manager.

## 7. Policy Amendments

Version	Date Approved	Description of Changes
1	26/09/2019	New Policy